

**// bhavaanee ashTakam //**

na taato na maataa na bandhurna daataa |  
na putro na putree na bhrutyo na bhartaa ||  
na jaayaa na vidyaa na vruttir-mamaiva |  
gativam gativam tvamekaa bhavaani || 1

bhavaabdhaavapaare mahaadu:kha bheeru: |  
papaata prakaamee pralobhee pramatta: ||  
kusamsaara paasha prabaddha: sadaaham |  
gativam gativam tvamekaa bhavaani || 2

na jaanaami daanam na cha dhyaana yogam |  
na jaanaami tantram na cha stotra mantram ||  
na jaanaami poojaam na sanyaasa yogam |  
gativam gativam tvamekaa bhavaani || 3

na jaanaami puNyam na jaanaami teertham |  
na jaanaami muktim layam vaa kadaachit ||  
na jaanaami bhaktim vratam vaapi maatar |  
gativam gativam tvamekaa bhavaani || 4

kukarmee kusangee kubuddhi: kudaasa: |  
kulaacharaheena: kadaacharaleena: ||  
kudruShTi: kuvaakya prabandha: sadaaham |  
gativam gativam tvamekaa bhavaani || 5

prajesham ramesham mahesham suresham |  
dinesham nishetheshvaram vaa kadaachit ||  
na jaanaami chaanyat sadaaham sharaNye |  
gativam gativam tvamekaa bhavaani || 6

vivaade vishaade pramaade pravaase |  
jale chaanale parvate shatrumadhye ||  
araNye sharaNye sadaa maam prapaahi |  
gativam gativam tvamekaa bhavaani || 7

anaatho daridro jaraa-roga-yukto |  
mahaaksheeNa deena: sadaa jaaDyavaktra: ||  
vipattau pravisthah praNasthah sadaaham |  
gativam gativam tvamekaa bhavaani || 8